

# BIG NEWS.

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## NEWS ITEMS.

Earthquakes are still shaking the New Hebrides.

Another break in the Russian ministry—Tchikhatchoff has resigned.

There will be a big entertainment at the Ohio penitentiary, Christmas.

W. L. Corrigan, a brother of Archbishop Corrigan, has become insane.

The Coshocton (O.) opera house was badly damaged by fire Friday morning.

Baroness De Rothschild, widow of the late head of the Frankfort house, is dead.

Mrs. Ida Netson drowned herself and two small children at Omaha. Deceased.

A young Negro, who outraged a white girl near Hope, Ark., was lynched.

The president's family has abandoned Woodley and moved into the white house.

Earlham college, Richmond, Ind., has passed a rule making gymnasium work compulsory.

A freight train near Sioux City ran into a herd of cattle and killed twenty-two without being derailed.

Bowling Green (Ky.) bakers have a break war on, and as a result two loaves are being sold for five cents.

At Pomeroy, O., Robert Campbell, aged 53, was killed in the Coal Ridge mine by a fall of slate. He leaves a family.

The Kearney (Neb.) national bank has failed. The officers refuse to make a statement. The bank had \$10,000 of county money.

Controller Eckels has appointed J. Leslie Thompson, of Sioux Falls, S. D., receiver of the Citizens' National bank, of Madison, S. D.

The jury found George Laneham, of Lima Springs, Pa., guilty of conspiracy to bribe the Census board of pensioners' examining surgeons.

As the result of a newspaper advertisement and subsequent correspondence, G. E. Wright, of Heppner, Ore., married Minnie E. Green, of Cadiz, O.

John M. White, one of the most prominent men of West Virginia, is dead at St. Cloud. For three weeks he was unconscious and without food or drink.

Elkhart (Ind.) citizens are petitioning the city council to compel the electric railway company to use iron trolley posts through the business portion.

The National Water Purifying Co. of New York, filed suit against the New Orleans Water Works Co. for \$134,500, the alleged value of a filter plant.

Co-operative colonies of unemployed workmen from Pittsburgh are to be established in West Virginia. Similar colonies will also be started in Michigan.

The statement of the Atchison railroad for the first week in December shows a decrease of \$98,210 as compared with the receipts for the same month last year.

A masked mob at Fort Jones, Cal., took Wm. Dean, an Indian who murdered Wm. Harmore, from the custody of Constable Dixon and hanged him to a tree.

The directors of the Western Union Telegraph Co., at their meeting Wednesday, declared the regular quarterly dividend of 15 per cent., payable January 1, 1895.

Judge Dallas filed an opinion in the United States circuit court at Philadelphia, granting a motion for receiver for the Mutual National Bank and Investment Co.

An assassin shot at Sam Lazzio in his bed at Houston, Tex., but fatally wounded his little daughter. Assassin supposed to be a Negro who had quarreled with Lazzio.

Third Vice President Baldwin, of the Southern Railway Co., says he has no fear whatever of a strike of the employees on the system as a result of the time and pay schedule.

Daniel M. Robertson, a carpenter, 49 years old, born at Frederick, Prince Edward's Island, of respectable parents, was hanged Friday for the murder of his wife, September 9, 1893.

In the United States court of appeals at Chicago, President Geo. McDonald, of the Guarantee Investment and Bond Co., was remanded to the custody of the marshal to serve eleven months in jail.

W. B. Simpson, a prominent jeweler at Holden, Johnson county, Mo., died Wednesday morning of a broken heart. His 19-year-old son was convicted of embezzlement and sent to prison for two years.

A petition formidable in size, numbering 133 printed pages, consisting largely of exhibits and signed by Wm. E. Tolman, was Friday presented in the house for the enforcement of the anti-trust law.

The democrats of Muncie, Ind., held an election Wednesday and selected as their next postmaster Edward Tubey, who received over half of the 1,000 votes cast. Ephraim Smith and Eugene Kelly were the other candidates.

The directors of the American Bell Telephone Co. Wednesday declared the regular quarterly dividend of 3 per cent., and an extra dividend of 1 1/2 per cent., the latter "out of the surplus earnings of the six months ending December 31."

Sam Ford, who lives in Nuxar county, Miss., ten miles from Macon, enraged because his wife refused to live with him, sent a bullet through her body, killing her instantly. Then he turned the weapon on himself, but citizens frustrated him and placed him in jail.

The bill to establish the University of the United States at Washington was taken up in the senate Thursday, and speeches in favor of it were made by Senators Wilson (dem., Va.) and Vilas (dem., Wis.). No action was taken on it, and it was put back on the calendar.

DeWitt Clinton Rice, who was born in Rochester in 1829, died in New York Thursday. He studied law with Gov. Wm. H. Seward, and practiced in New York and Washington for forty years; was the author of a standard work on the bankruptcy laws and practice in the United States, and of a life of Chief Justice Chase.

Joe Etchison, a notorious character of Dundee, Ind., at the head of a mob of hooligans armed with Winchester, terrorized that village Friday. They attempted to pillage Cash Bros. saloon, but were repulsed after a short engagement, and were glad to escape with their lives.

The wirephoto manufacturers of the United States have been in secret session in St. Louis during the past two days, and although the delegates strenuously deny that a combination is under discussion, it is believed that the meeting is for the purpose of pooling the wirephoto interests.

## ONLY ONE TERM.

Congressman Bryan's Bill is Very Popular—Its Author Believes That it Will Pass—Other Notes From the Capital.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 18.—Representative Bryan's bill to limit the term of the president to one administration is now before the committee on election of president and vice president.

The bill will be reported favorably and will be a popular measure both in the house and the senate. The house as a body believes in the one-term idea except where it affects its individual members.

In the senate every member in his own estimation, is a presidential possibility and, therefore, favors a rapid rotation in the office of president.

The sooner such men as Sherman, Allison and Tamm are disposed of the better chance will Hale, Aldrich and Don Cameron have for place in the presidential race. The same is true on the democratic side.

The bill will meet with favor and its author, knowing well the selfish side of senators, however, if it will pass, it will pass.

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## WASHINGTON.

Mr. Springer Will Report Carlisle's Currency Measure.

The Republicans Will Take a Strong Hand in Opposition to the Bill—The Falling Gold Reserve Will Also Be Used as a Strong Lever in Favor of It.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 17.—Mr. Springer had a full meeting of the committee on banking and currency Saturday, and by a strict party vote decided to report at once to the house Secretary Carlisle's currency bill.

Although the bill is still in a most incomplete and unsatisfactory shape, the democrats will do everything possible to rush it through the house.

Mr. Springer, however, will find it exceedingly hard to push the bill as reported.

Already a large number of the members have expressed their determination to offer amendments to the bill, and beyond doubt a number of them will be tacked onto the bill, and thus block its passage.

Among the amendments now waiting to be introduced, and a number which will be proposed in the interests of a large number of small banks, whose capital is only \$50,000 or \$100,000.

A large number of members of the house conduct or support financially these small banks, and they propose by this amendment to permit government bonds and approved state bonds to be deposited by the banks as security for the circulation they issue.

The amount of circulation to be issued is not to be proportional to the assets of the bank, as proposed in the bill, but the state bonds which are to be used by the banks to guarantee circulation are to be first approved by the secretary of the treasury and the controller of the currency.

Mr. Springer may find some aid in trying to get his bill through the house by the present condition of the gold reserve.

On Monday, when the bill will be introduced, the gold will be nearer ninety million dollars than a hundred million, and Mr. Carlisle will sadly be in need of aid, but even this will not allow the republicans to withdraw their opposition, and sound money men of the north will urge the house to go slow.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 17.—A satisfactory settlement between the striking drivers and conductors and the officers of the Metropolitan Street Railway Co., having been arranged Friday night, the men started to work Saturday and all cars are running on schedule time.

The settlement arrived at, through involving reduced pay, also provides for shorter hours and the men regard it as a victory for them.

All the old men were taken back Saturday morning.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 17.—Congressman Jerry Simpson, of Kansas, the populist known early in his career as "Society Jerry," who was defeated last November for re-election, denies that he has any purpose to move to Indiana and run for governor to succeed Gov. Matthews.

He states that Kansas is good enough for him, and that, though defeated, he will return to his adopted state and attend to his farm.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 17.—The United States will take no part in the investigation of the Armenian outrages.

Finding that the limitations imposed by President Cleveland and upon the "Journal" of Cleveland, Secretary of State, were such as to prevent his joint action with the representatives of the other powers, the sultan has withdrawn his invitation to the United States to appoint a commissioner, and consequently Mr. Jewett's appointment lapses.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 17.—President Cleveland, accompanied by Dr. O'Reilly, Capt. Robley D. Evans and Charles Jefferson, left Washington Sunday afternoon by rail for the coast of South Carolina for a hunting trip.

The trip has been in contemplation since early fall, and is taken at this time in the hope that the outing will benefit the president in eradicating a remnant of the rheumatism which still lingers about him.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 17.—The Boston delegation, headed by Dr. Barrows, representing the United Friends of the Republic, spent an hour in conversation with Secretary Gresham, urging the propriety of some action by this government on behalf of the Christian Armenians.

The secretary heard their representations, but declined to commit himself.

Reliable Meat Inspection.

CHICAGO, Dec. 17.—In reply to the inquiry as to what relation is to be placed in the charges that the meat inspection of the United States is inadequate and that the imposition of restrictions was made in consequence.

Mr. Charles W. Baker, secretary of the National Live Stock Exchange, says that it is authorized to say, by other in position best to know, that the governmental inspection of live stock and meat products for exportation is up to a very high standard and is more thorough than ever before known.

Missing Children Found Dead.

WATERLOO, Wis., Dec. 17.—The Schultzes, who disappeared from their home in the town of Waterloo, Ind. Monday, and for whom hundreds of men have been searching daily, were found dead Sunday afternoon in the woods two miles from the homestead.

They lost their way during last Monday's snow storms and died from exposure.

A Faith Cured Dead.

ELKHART, Ind., Dec. 17.—Henry Wenger, an Indiana pioneer, died Saturday near South Bend. Wenger was widely known throughout the western states, and hundreds of people made pilgrimages to his home that they might receive the benefit of his healing properties for their physical ailments.

He is reported to have performed a number of cures that were miracles.

There was no uncommon occurrence for Wenger to treat a hundred patients during a day.

His peculiar method of treatment was by faith. His death resulted from dropsy.

Big New Kansas Coal Company.

KANSAS CITY, Dec. 17.—A large number of coal companies who have heretofore found it difficult to compete with the large coal operators and mines in Kansas, have decided to organize a new company. The capital will be \$2,000,000 and the company will be able to make its own prices.

General sales offices will be opened in Kansas City, and will be under the management of Capt. Kniffin, formerly general agent for the Missouri Pacific Coal Co. at St. Louis.

Practically all of the smaller companies in this locality will be merged into the new concern.

## FINANCE BILL.

Republican Minority of the Currency Committee Reports—They Make Serious Objections to Secretary Carlisle's Measure.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 17.—The report of the republican members of the banking and currency committee on Secretary Carlisle's bill begins with the statement that the signers "most heartily and enthusiastically join with the democratic majority of the committee in repudiating the measure."

The report states that the whole action of the party majority of the committee was most extraordinary and not approved by its voting majority.

The bill was only read in committee in part on one occasion, and an opportunity to consider or amend it was refused both to the democratic and republican members.

The report continues that it is the opinion of a number of the most clear-headed and eminent financiers in the country that if the Carlisle bill is enacted into a law it will within twenty days precipitate a panic far more severe than the one of 1893.

It would do so by forcing the sale upon the market of nearly \$200,000,000 worth of United States bonds within six months.

"This haste to report the bill is all the more inexplicable," the report adds, "when it is remembered that Secretary Carlisle testified that this bill, which he had drafted himself for the relief of the treasury, would not in any event repudiate its maturity for five years, and might not for twenty years."

The report calls the attention to certain sections of the bill and sharply criticizes them.

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## FIFTY-THIRD CONGRESS.

Second Session.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 12.—SENATE.—The president Tuesday sent to the senate in response to the House resolution, the agreement in correspondence, consisting of a letter from the secretary of state and a copy of a telegram to Minister Terrell at Constantinople.

A large number of the president's appointments were confirmed. Mr. Morrill (rep., Vt.) addressed the senate on the financial situation. Mr. Higgins presented a resolution calling on the president and secretary of state for correspondence on the subject of mediation on the part of the United States between China and Japan.

It was laid over until Wednesday, at the suggestion of Mr. Morgan (dem., Ala.).

HONORABLE.—The house, by a vote of 109 yeas to 110 nays Tuesday, passed the "pooling" bill to legalize contracts between competing common carriers. All amendments were voted down.

This measure is an amendment to the interstate commerce law and has been the subject of much consideration and controversy between the railroads on one hand and the commercial organizations on the other.

Mr. Springer introduced Secretary Carlisle's bill, carrying out the secretary's financial plan.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 12.—SENATE.—Senator Gray made a motion Wednesday to take up the bill reported from the finance committee at the last session, providing for a duty of 40 per cent. flat on all sugars, thus cutting off the differential.

This was beaten by a vote of 23 to 27. Another motion was made by Mr. Morgan (dem., Ala.) to take up his closure resolution introduced the first day of the session.

By a strained construction of the rules, Senator Fairbanks, who was in the chair, allowed a vote to be taken on the question of suspending the Nicaragua treaty by the result of a vote on the motion was defeated by a vote of 21 to 34.

HONORABLE.—By a vote of 177 to 54, taken by tellers, the house of representatives Wednesday passed the bill to amend the act of 1893, to enforce the collection of the income tax provided for in the tariff law passed last session.

The measure is in connection with the erection of statues of Gen. John Stark and Daniel Webster, by the state of New Hampshire, were made the special order for two o'clock, December 20, and the second Saturday in February, 1895, was set apart for the delivery of eulogies upon the late Myron B. Wright, representative from the Fifteenth district of Pennsylvania.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 14.—SENATE.—The bill to establish the University of the United States at Washington was taken up Thursday. No action was taken on it and it was put on the calendar.

Consideration of the Nicaragua canal bill was resumed, and Mr. Morgan (dem., Ala.) finished his argument in advocacy of it.

He asked unanimous consent to have the vote taken up next Thursday, but objection was made by Mr. McCaffery (dem., La.).

Then Mr. Morgan asked



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FRIDAY, DECEMBER 21, 1894.

The "Superior Court" in Kentucky is a thing of the past.

President Cleveland has bought a fine span of young horses from Kentucky.

Eastern Kentucky is going to have a good deal to say at the next State Convention.

**EAST FORK.**  
There is lots of mad.  
Tom Barrett is building him a dwelling house at the city of Denton.

Ike Cunningham's school closed last Friday. He gave the little ones a candy treat.

Tom Branham was calling on the postmasters at Glenwood and Vessie in regard to an extension of the mail route from Denton to Pottery. We trust it can be managed as it is badly needed.

Dr. Sturgill is building up a nice practice. We are certainly glad to see the young "Doc." succeed.

Rev. Eira Moore preached at No. 11 last Sunday.

Geo. W. Handley has just returned from a visit to his parents in Boyd Co.

Rev. Jas. Barrett had to neglect his appointment at Irish creek on account of the sickness of his aged mother and two of his children.

We are still trusting that Buren Shortridge will be the successful candidate for road commissioner.

Tom McDole has just returned from a two weeks visit in Ohio and says times are a great deal better here than there.

Geo. Shortridge, of Cat, was visiting his son at this place Sunday.

Dr. Keffer will move to his farm at this place about January 1st.

We had the pleasure of meeting John M. Bentley at Vessie last week. He is the genial deputy clerk of Edmon's Branch and a more competent man could not be found.

Joe Harlis and his bride were visiting friends here last week. They have just returned from a bridal trip in W. Va., where they will make their future home. The young couple have our best wishes.

Wishing the News a successful year in 1895, we are still. Aigs.

Vaughan has just received 2 car loads of Clover Leaf flour.

**FLOYD COUNTY.**

**PRESTONSBURG.**  
Mr. and Mrs. James Clark passed through here Monday on their way to Abbott, where they had been summoned to the bedside of Mrs. Lou Johnson, who is said to be dying.

Mrs. Mary Smith and Mrs. Gormley went to Dvale Friday.

Lizzie Johns gave a taffy party Friday night and all who attended say it was an evening of pleasure never to be forgotten.

M. T. Allen and Gus. Glen went to the country Sunday.

School closed here today, and Wednesday and Thursday nights the school will give an entertainment at the court house.

Charley Layne, of Lanesville, passed through here Saturday to spend Xmas in Paintsville.

George Dimick, Jr., was in the burg Friday. Left Saturday for Pittsburg.

Willie Layne and Ollie Powers went to Paintsville Sunday to see their best girl.

Mollie Richmond gave a social Saturday night.

Hon. Jo. M. Kendall was here Sunday.

Rumor has it that there will be three weddings in our little city Xmas.

The Band boy's uniform arrived Wednesday.

**ONISKA.**

**TWO LIVES SAVED.**

Mrs. Phoebe Thomas, of Junction City Ill., was told by her doctors she had consumption and that there was no hope for her, but two bottles of Dr. King's New Discovery completely cured her and she says it saved her life.

Mr. Thos. Eggers, 139 Florida St., San Francisco, suffered from a dreadful cold, approaching consumption, tried without result everything else then bought one bottle of Dr. King's New Discovery and in two weeks was cured. He is naturally thankful. It is such results, of which these are samples, that prove the wonderful efficacy of this medicine in coughs and colds. Free trial bottles at A. M. Hagle's drug store. Regular price 50c and \$1.00.

## John Hager for Gov.

Eastern Kentucky will never be satisfied until it has a man in the Governor's chair at Frankfort. It has been a long time since Eastern Kentucky has had this honor. The present Governor, a Western man, succeeded another Western Governor. Gov. Knott, Gov. McCreary and Gov. Blackburn were all Central or Western Kentucky men. It has been the custom in State conventions for many years to find out what the mountain counties wanted and to fix up a snug place for some mountain aspirant for some office sufficiently dignified to satisfy the mountain demand for representation. This has been so much the case that politicians have fallen into a way of thinking that the mountains habitually ask for more than they want or expect to get. An instance now arises, however, where the character of the man mentioned is such as to preclude the idea that his name is brought forward simply as a screen for some other candidate. Col. John F. Hager, ex-Railroad Commissioner, and one of the ablest men in Eastern Kentucky, is mentioned by his friends as a candidate for Governor. It had been supposed that this mentioning was done without consulting Mr. Hager. But an interview with Mr. Hager in Cincinnati a few days ago disclosed the fact that he may really be a candidate. When asked whether he would become a candidate he replied that he was in the hands of his friends, which with most men is equivalent to an announcement.—Courier Journal.

## Johnson County.

**PAINTSVILLE.**  
The graded school at this place will close next Friday. The present term has been a success. G. B. Stapleton, teacher in one of the rooms, will retire from the profession of teaching and will attend in person to his duties as Circuit Court Clerk.

We are sorry to note the serious illness of little Polena Arnett, the daughter of John Arnett.

Ben Spradling, (Col. Ben) is very dangerously sick at his uncle, A. W. Hales, above town. He embraced the Christian religion and was baptised by immersion this afternoon. Rev. John W. Butler conducted the services.

Cy M. Preston and John M. Arnett made a flying trip to Salyersville yesterday, returning today.

Mrs. Farish Arnett and Mrs. D. J. Wheeler were visiting at J. M. Arnett's this week.

Cap. Stanley, of Salyersville, was visiting relatives at this place this week.

Mrs. Darcas Conley and little son, of Flat Gap, are visiting friends at this place.

Married here last night, Mr. Campbell Williams to Miss Laura Rice. They started for Tennessee this morning.

## ROCKFELLER.

**LITTLE BLAINE.**  
Hog killing and hunting is all the go now.

Samuel Holton's school closed on the 11th inst, and Jas. Vaughan's on the 12 inst. There was plenty of tears shed with all the pupils present. They both gave general satisfaction, and we would be glad to have them next year.

There were only four weddings in four miles square last Thursday. Two of them on Brushy fork and two on Little Blaine. Those on Blaine were a Mr. Fugitt to Richard Thompson's girl, and A. D. Ball to Miss Mary Friley. May happiness be strewn all along their pathway.

Mrs. David Castle is very sick of fever at this writing.

One of our tobacco men, Mr. Blanton, is very sick at present.

Wesley Moore sold one of his steam mills the other day to Robert Jordan & Co. for \$400.

Gus Moore is buying up a nice lot of young cattle. Gus is a hustler you bet.

There was several went down our creek on the 16 inst to a funeral meeting at Walnut Gap and Dry Ridge. We saw C. B. Moore in the midst.

Bud Daniels went up our creek on the 15th inst.

Prayer meeting every first and third Sundays at Moore's chapel.

Johnney Hays is visiting at Henry Ramey's at this writing.

We are glad that L. B. Dean, M. D., has located on our creek.

Your scribe has been informed that four young men of our creek are going to start out before long with a show. Lindsey Moore, John Nowcome, Doc Thompson and Judge Will Robnet.

CHUM No. 2.

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## EDMONDS BRANCH.

Isaiah Jones made a business trip to Wayne county Va., a few days ago.

The steam saw and grist mill that is being set in our vicinity by James Compton is nearing a readiness for business and will be quite a convenience to our community. William Woods, our county judge elect, passed through here early this week enroute to your place on business.

The Public Schools are closing out and the demand for candy on which to treat the scholars is causing our merchants to have a better trade in that line.

Upper Morgan creek is still quarrelling and lawing which gives our magistrates and constables lots of exercise in their line of business. Marion Wilson, of Dry Fork, was here on business a few days ago.

## COUNTRY GREENHORN.

**BUCKLEN'S ARNICA SALVE.**  
The best salve in the world for cuts, bruises, sores, ulcers, salt rheum, fever sores, tetter, chapped hands, chilblains, corns, and skin eruptions, and positively cures piles, or no pay required. It is guaranteed to give perfect satisfaction or money refunded. Price 25 cents per box. For sale by A. M. Hagle's Louisville, Ky.

Before buying a cloak be sure to get the latest style. We have them from \$2.50 up.

G. W. GUNNELL.

GLENWOOD KY.

Rev. Murphy preached here yesterday.

There is a good deal of sickness here.

Great excitement in religious circles.

Mr. Elbert Ballridge of Denton was here today.

Butler Roberts is working in the shop here.

Moving season will soon be here.

Mr. Evans has conditionally sold out.

Turkeys are a drag on the market.

Rabbits are selling for ten cents each.

Stock hogs are in great demand.

Rev. Rice is stirring the people up at Bonanza.

Billy Menix will move to Cats Fork.

James Twinam, of Mavity, is here today.

A big fox hunt took place last night.

Big entertainment last day of school.

Calvin Holbrook while chopping wood badly cut his foot.

Our school will be out in about three weeks.

Roads are in good condition.

Mr. Elbert Ballridge of Lost Creek and Miss Lizzie Burton of this place were married at D. W. Webb's Tuesday night. B. F. Boling officiated.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Frank Coburn, a fine boy.

Preaching here next Sunday at 10 o'clock.

Miss May Twinam has a severe case of rheumatism.

Miss James Childers has been on the sick list for a few days.

Hog killing is about wound up.

Eliza Rice, after several days visiting friends here, has returned to Maple Lake, Minnesota.

Fannie Fannan, daughter of John D. Fannan, and John Pope eloped to Ironton Thursday and were married.

Mrs. Dood Holbrook and her son Edford made a business trip to

## Willard to-day.

It is said that Prof. Cunningham will move to Denton. Robt. Menix will take his place at M. L. Cooksey's.

Corn shucking is about wound up.

There is strong talk of a daily mail from Denton to Glenwood. Elisha Webb and Joe Strother are here from Denton.

Old man Tussee lost a mule recently. He claimed to be 35 years old.

The Hunter's Club are organizing one of the greatest fox chases that has ever been known in this section.

Coal burners are hauling their coal from Denton, a distance of six miles.

Kirk Queen, our fat man, is the happy father of seven fat boys and no girls.

Billy Ratcliff and wife went to visit Mrs. Ratcliff's father yesterday on Lost Creek.

Dr. Keffer and wife will go to housekeeping in a few days at Vessie.

Joe Hammons, of Mavity, Boyd Co., is visiting friends here.

Mac Howell and wife are visiting friends and relatives here.

**RAMELLE.**

**KENTUCKIANS ENDORSE**

**Electropoise**

"I make the prediction that it will take its place as the world's greatest discovery, as it is capable of doing more good for humanity than any other."—Jas. C. Clarke, Esq., Morehead, Ky.

"My wife says she has received great benefit from the use of the Electropoise I bought of you some weeks since, and feel sure it will cure her of a long standing case of rheumatism. Money could not buy it from her."—C. W. Wright, Louisville, Ky.

"All the monev in Kentucky could not buy Electropoise. It cured my wife of tumor after the best physicians had pronounced her incurable."—Michael Condran, Franklinton, Ky.

Mr. J. M. Myers, of Myers & Bonn, 236 West Main street Louisville, says he has no reason to change the opinion expressed about Electropoise three years ago. It cured him of Rheumatism.

"One night's use of the Electropoise gave me relief from brain congestion and vertigo. I have been a well man ever since."—Rev. Geo. H. Means, Covington, Ky.

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Sullivan & Kise for Xmas candies.

**Sheriff's Sales for Taxes.**  
I, or one of my deputies will, on Monday Jan. 7, 1895, at the court house door in Louisia, Ky., offer for sale to the highest bidder, the following described property, or so much thereof as may be necessary to satisfy the tax against it for the year indicated:

To each sum named below, add \$2.75 to cover Sheriff's and advertising costs.

Henderson Mosley 35 acres of land adjoining David Simpson, tax for 1890, '92-'93-'94. Total tax, \$7.19.

Robt B. Hunt 52 acres of land adjoining J. R. Dean, tax for 1894, \$3.92.

A. J. WILSON, S. L. C.

By J. W. SHANNON, D. S.

**Sheriff's Sale.**

Commonwealth of Ky., pl'ff

vs.

George H. Williams, def't.

By virtue of an execution No. 290, issued from the Clerk's office of the Lawrence Circuit Court, in favor of the Commonwealth of Ky. vs. George H. Williams, and H. B. Williams, for \$32.43 with 6 per cent. interest from the 2d day of Jan. 1894, until paid and cost herein. I or one of my deputies will on Monday, the 7th day of Jan. 1895, between the hours of 10 a. m. and 4 o'clock p. m. at the front door of the court house in Louisia Lawrence county, Ky., expose at public sale to the highest bidder, the following property, or as much thereof as may be necessary to satisfy above execution of sale, to-wit:

A tract of land adjoining the land of Sam Caudle on the Ramey branch, Lawrence Co. Ky., and containing about 40 acres and being the same land deeded to George H. Williams by Noah H. Williams. For further description see Deed Book P, page 47. Said property is situated in Lawrence Co. and was levied upon as the property of George H. Williams.

TERMS of Sale will be made for cash in hand.

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BIG SANDY NEWS.

FRIDAY, DECEMBER 31, 1894.



Christmas Eve.  
Little bits of stockings,  
Hung up in a row,  
Always make Kris Kringle  
Down the chimney go.

Kismet.

The turkey looks around and sighs:  
"What is the use of living,  
When Christmas makes a grab for  
Is not devoured Thanksgiving?"  
—Detroit Free Press.

Revenge is sweet—though old the  
cry—  
Yet 'tis very human;  
For Christmas gifts we now may  
buy  
Neckties for the women.  
—(Smith, Gray & Co.'s Monthly.

That Adam Christmas loved with  
cause,  
We can not but believe;  
For while he had no Santa Claus,  
He had his Christmas Eve.  
—Truth.

Fresh bread at Vaughan's.

Spencer will send you just what  
you order.

Fresh fruits always on hand at  
Vaughan's.

Fresh Oysters every week at Sul-  
livan & Kise.

See Conley's Christmas books be-  
fore buying.

All kinds of fine fruits at Sul-  
livan & Kise.

Clover Leaf flour \$3.40 per barrel  
at Vaughan's.

Vaughan is still in the ring with  
Clover Leaf flour.

Rev. H. B. Hulet, of Inez, Ky.,  
was here this week.

It pays to be well suited in shoes.  
Bordors & Stewarts can do it.

If you want to buy nice fresh  
fruits, go to P. H. Vaughan's.

If you want your jug order  
promptly filled, send to Spencer's.

George Waldeck will be home  
tomorrow for the holiday vacation.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Thomas, of  
Ironton, are here to spend a month.

FOR SALE.—Saw mill, engine  
and boiler. Inquire to  
JAY H. NORTHRUP.

Tortoise shell side combs with  
sterling silver trimmings at Con-  
ley's.

Dan Blankenship has put the  
railroad street crossings in fine  
shape.

Born, to Rev. L. H. Suddith and  
wife, of King's creek, Ohio, a  
daughter.

Mr. E. S. Wilson was entertained  
by Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Thomas  
while here.

Look through the advertising  
columns of the News and see where  
to buy your Christmas goods.

Born, to Dr. and Mrs. Harry  
Wood of Buffalo, N. Y., a fine son.  
His name is Jay Northrup Wood.

Send the News as a Christmas  
present to some friend. It  
will make them happy every week in  
the year.

The magistrates, constables and  
the county officers recently elected  
kept the court busy Monday pass-  
ing upon bonds.

Miss Lucie Prichard and Ad-  
die Burchett will be home tomor-  
row from school at Lexington to  
spend the holidays.

Miss Gertrude Stonebraker is  
steadily convalescing and expects  
to be up soon. Her brother has  
returned to Mt. Sterling.

Celebrate the anniversary of  
Christ in a befitting manner. It  
is a time for joyous celebration,  
but not of the riotous, debauching  
kind.

Mr. J. W. Shannon on last Mon-  
day gave bond as Sheriff of Law-  
rence county, preparatory to as-  
suming the duties on the first Mon-  
day in January.

Hanon Kitchen was struck on  
the head with a rock last Sunday  
night on Danio's creek, this county.  
He is badly injured. The  
guilty party is not known.

The wife of Meredith Fyffe of this  
county, was brought to Louisa a  
few days ago and examined for in-  
sanity. She was adjudged to be of  
unsound mind and ordered to the  
asylum at Lexington.

Notice the advertisement of the  
Louisa Normal Institute which ap-  
pears in this issue. This will be a  
high class school which will meet  
the needs of this section admirably.  
For particulars see the handsome  
catalogue which will soon be out.

The Fifteenth Annual Session of  
Blaine Normal School, under the  
principals of G. M. Elam, will  
begin January 14th, 1895. This  
school is too well known to need  
any introduction. It is improved  
each year in every possible partic-  
ular.

Go to Remmele for dressed tur-  
keys.

Mrs. W. H. Holt is still improv-  
ing.

Vaughan is the place to buy your  
flour.

100 barrels of nice salt at Sulli-  
van & Kise.

Mrs. Jas. Evans is the guest of  
her son, Henry.

Vaughan can sell you good flour  
for \$3.15 per barrel.

Now is the time to get bargains  
on flour at Vaughan's.

Remmele for White Lilly flour  
\$3.25. Guaranteed.

M. H. Thompson has shipped two  
hogsheads of tobacco.

Judge Stewart has returned from  
United States Court at Covington

Fresh grapes and oranges. Ev-  
erything fresh at Sullivan & Kise.

Ransom Marcum is down from  
Hindman this week to see his folks.

Mary Robinson, of Buchanan,  
this county, has been granted a  
pension.

G. W. Gunnell is repairing two  
rooms in his old store building for  
renting purposes.

Mr. E. S. Wilson's book, "An  
Oriental Outing," which is just out  
is for sale at Conleys.

Mrs. Mat Meek, of Carrollton,  
arrived Wednesday to spend the  
holidays with her parents.

H. H. Gambill, Jas. Holton and  
Jas. Boggs, of Blaine, were in  
Louisa a few days of this week.

The News will issue next week  
as usual. No holiday will be taken.  
If you want to keep posted take the  
News.

G. B. Gray and little daughter  
Blanche, are visiting relations in  
Ohio. His wife is visiting in Cat-  
letsburg.

Three kinds of court met in  
Louisa Monday and Tuesday.  
County, Quarterly and Commission-  
ers Court.

Economy in shoes is a very im-  
portant item. Economize by buy-  
ing your shoes from Bordors &  
Stewarts.

Mrs. Sophia Cook, of Eldorado  
Springs, Mo., is here visiting her  
brother M. S. Burns. It is their  
first meeting for eighteen years.

Our new stock Clothing, Cloaks,  
Hats and Shoes are now in, at  
prices lower than ever. Bargains  
in every department at A. J. Loar  
& Co.

An Ironton newspaper says the  
Louisa foot ball team will play at  
Ironton next week. The Louisa  
boys have received no notification  
as yet.

The masquerade mite at Rev.  
French's last Friday evening was  
largely attended and a very enjoy-  
able affair. The net proceeds were  
\$11.05.

Mr. Albert Murray, of Baltimore,  
Md., is here visiting his father, Dr.  
G. W. Murray. It has been over  
nineteen years since he was here  
before.

Capt. M. Freese has been on the  
streets quite frequently within the  
past week. His health is much  
improved and the weather has been  
quite favorable.

The Epworth League, of the M.  
E. Church gave a social at Dr. At-  
kinson's last Monday evening. The  
amount of the proceeds was quite  
satisfactory, and the guests passed  
a pleasant evening.

The fiscal court has during this  
year appropriated about \$5,000 more  
payable out of the levy of 1895  
than that levy can amount to, as  
the new constitution limits it to fifty  
cents upon each \$100 worth. The  
magistrates will have to do some  
tall financing.

The Citizen's Brass Band, of Cat-  
letsburg, assisted by other talent,  
will give an entertainment at the  
Masonic Opera Hall in this place  
on Wednesday, the 26th. The pro-  
gramme is under the direction of  
Prof. Ellis, of Baltimore, Md. It  
was rendered in Catletsburg last  
week to a large audience and the  
Kentucky Democrat speaks very  
highly of the affair. Reserved  
seats on sale at Conley's jewelry  
store.

Married, Wednesday afternoon,  
at the residence of Mr. Dan Vin-  
son, father of the bride, Mr. Lucien  
Payne, of Warfield, to Miss Niza  
Vinson. Rev. H. B. Hulet per-  
formed the ceremony. The bride  
has attended school at this place  
and is a favorite among her asso-  
ciates. Mr. Payne is a young man of  
good moral and business standing,  
and the News wishes the young  
couple the best of everything. They  
will make their home at Warfield.

Mr. E. S. Wilson's lecture last  
Monday evening was extremely  
interesting and very instructive.  
A fair sized audience was present  
and the strict attention paid the  
speaker told that the lecture was  
well received. When he spoke of  
bringing it to a close there were  
many requests to "go on." He  
was able to touch upon only a few  
of the most interesting points of  
his trip to the holy land. A num-  
ber of relics were exhibited. Those  
who failed to attend missed a great  
deal of valuable information.

BIG SANDY OIL.

500-Barrel Well Reported  
From Pike County.

The daily papers a few days ago  
contained a lengthy account of a  
big oil strike in Pike county. The  
dispatches are from Ashland, how-  
ever, and the facts are apt to be  
considerably overdrawn, judging  
from the reports usually sent out  
by the correspondent at that place.  
There is much reason to hope  
that the report is to an important  
extent true, however. The indica-  
tions have all along pointed to  
success, but it is difficult to ascer-  
tain just what measure of success  
has been attained, owing to the se-  
crecy imposed by the managers.  
For a year past the New Domain  
Oil and Gas Company, controlled  
by the South Penn Oil Company,  
a branch of the giant Standard, has  
been putting down test wells at  
different points. They hold fully  
100,000 acres of oil territory leased  
in the counties of Pike and Floyd,  
and they have put down on this  
large tract eight wells, of which  
five are paying ventures. The first  
test was made in Floyd county, on  
Beaver creek, and along that stream  
they have four wells that are esti-  
mated to have an output of 400  
barrels a day. All of these wells  
are plugged and constantly guard-  
ed. Two wells have been put down  
two miles below Pikeville. One of  
these was abandoned at the depth  
of 1,100 feet because of the tools  
sticking, but the other was pushed  
to completion, with the result that  
a few days ago at the depth of 1,800  
feet a tremendous flow of oil was  
struck. The fluid covered the derrick,  
and rushing out flowed like  
water down Cedar Creek a distance  
of three-quarters of a mile before  
controlled. The lowest estimate  
places the product of this well at  
500 barrels per day." The trend  
of the belt, which is of indefinite  
length, is from southwest to north-  
east, and this strike clearly  
gives it a width of eighteen  
miles. In Floyd county the oil is  
found at the depth of 900 feet, while  
in Pike county the depth is  
doubled, as is the product.  
Across the river on the Caney  
fork of John's creek, Greenlee &  
Forst, Pittsburg operators, who  
have been successful in the Mc-  
Donald field, the Mannington, W.  
Va., field, and the Montpelier, Ind.  
field, are putting down a well that  
has so far possessed all the pecu-  
liarities of the well on Cedar creek.  
At the depth of 1,300 feet they are  
delayed by lack of casing, a lot of  
which is now en route, and will  
reach them in time to allow the  
completion of the well by the first  
of the year at farthest. This well  
lies northeast of Pikeville a dis-  
tance of seven miles, and is at least  
ten miles from the Cedar-creek  
well, but directly in the trend. In  
that section the company holds  
leases on 10,000 acres or more of  
the choicest territory. They are  
very confident.

Again, across in Floyd, on the  
Salt Lick fork of Beaver, on land  
adjoining the New Domain wells  
and leases. Guffey & Queen are  
putting down a new well. This  
was also delayed from an exhaus-  
tion of rope, their cable giving out  
at the depth of 800 feet. During  
the past few days, through, an ad-  
ditional supply was received, and  
they ought now to be nearing the  
point of striking. This company  
holds about 2,500 acres of valuable  
lands.

The oil is light, and is not a lu-  
bricant. In its crude state it burns  
readily, and the cost of refining is  
estimated remarkably low.

The oil excitement may reach  
Lawrence county again, as there is  
no doubt that there is oil in this  
territory. The fine lubricating oil  
found here a few years ago is worth  
looking for.

A Correction.

Last Wednesday the Courier  
Journal published a cut of Mr. Jeff  
Newberry, our popular townsman,  
who is a candidate for Register of  
the Land Office. By mistake, the  
Courier Journal announces him as  
being a candidate for State Treas-  
urer.—Martin County Gazette.

Don't forget that Sullivan & Kise  
will sell you the best flour for least  
money in town.

The News' Directory.

You will find special holiday  
stocks at—

Gunnell's,  
Remmele's,  
Vaughan's,  
Snyder Bros.,  
Hughes',  
Conley's.

Many articles suitable for pres-  
ents may also be found at—

Bordors & Stewarts,  
A. J. Loar & Co.,  
Levine & Brown,  
Sullivan & Kise.

IT TAKES YOUR MONEY  
only 25 cents to buy a glass vial  
of Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets—  
but then you get a lasting benefit  
and a permanent cure of your  
Bilious or Sick Headache, Con-  
stipation or Indigestion, Loss of  
Appetite, and all those troubles  
which follow a disordered liver.  
The time to treat an inactive  
liver is before it becomes a dis-  
ease. If these tiny Pellets were  
in every day use people would be  
germ-proof. The germs of disease  
make their entrance to the system  
through the liver—your health and  
well-being depends on the liver.  
If you suffer from wind and pain  
in the stomach, giddiness, consti-  
pation, disturbed sleep, you get im-  
mediate relief from the use of "Pleas-  
ant Pellets."  
They're guaranteed to give satisfaction, or  
money returned.

Think of the thousands of hopeless cases  
which must have been cured by Dr. Sagar's  
Cathartic Remedy, before the proprietors  
could be willing to say, as they do: "For  
any case of Catarrh, no matter how bad,  
which we cannot cure, we'll pay \$500 cash."

Highest of all in Leavening Power.—Latest U. S. Gov't Report

Royal Baking Powder  
ABSOLUTELY PURE

To the Editor of Big Sandy News:

In order that the people may  
know what fools some people are,  
and who and where they are, I give  
you a copy verbatim of a letter received  
by a citizen of Louisa in answer to a  
polite note of inquiry about the  
standing of a certain citizen of Ath-  
ens County, Ohio. Supposing the  
Sheriff of the County to be a gen-  
tleman, in which supposition he  
was evidently mistaken, the letter  
of inquiry was sent to him. This  
was his reply:

"SHERIFF'S OFFICE.  
Athens, Ohio, Dec. 12, 1894.

Mr. ———  
Louisia, Kentucky,  
Dear Sir—

Received I will say in Reply. I am  
Somewhat Surprised to Receive in-  
quiry from Kentucky asking for  
the Moral Standing of an Ohio Man.  
I did not suppose that Habits &  
morals were necessary Qualifications  
to Transact business in Ken-  
tucky. I had supposed that Two  
Six Shooters and a butcher knife  
were more preferable for an Ohio  
man To carry to your state than  
good Morals and habits. So Far as  
I know Mr. ——— is all right  
yours Most Respectfully  
M M Riley"

That the man who wrote this  
letter was a greenhorn, is no more  
evident from a perusal of the letter,  
than that he was also a blackguard.  
If a people are to be judged by the  
acts of one or a few persons, in  
Kentucky, the same rule will ap-  
ply in Athens County Ohio. If the  
sheriff of that county is an expo-  
nent of the civilization of its citi-  
zens, they occupy a low plane. If  
they are as moral and chivalrous  
as the Sheriff would have one  
believe, they will rise up, as one  
man, and denounce him as a scamp  
and a cowardly cur. There may  
be, and doubtless are, some people  
in Kentucky who carry concealed  
deadly weapons; there may be, and  
from the writer's personal knowl-  
edge; there are citizens of Ohio  
whom one can unreservedly call  
gentlemen, but there is not one  
honorable or gentlemanly principle  
in the make up of the man whom  
the citizens of Athens County Ohio  
have elected sheriff over them, and  
disgraced themselves accordingly.  
CONTRIBUTOR.

Commissioner's Sitting.

The undersigned will on Thurs-  
day, Dec. 27th, 1894, begin sittings  
in the case of Ball, Warfield & Co.  
& vs. Jas. Holton, Adm'r, and  
continue from day to day until  
completed. The object is to hear  
claims against the estate of John  
Holton deceased, to settle with the  
administrator, and to transact all  
business in connection with the set-  
tlement of this estate.

A. J. GARRETT, M. C. L. C. C.

Louisa Photo Studio is giving away  
free a photo frame, worth 50c and  
75c, with every one-half dozen or  
more cabinet photos to every cus-  
tomer during the holidays, com-  
mencing Nov. 20th. D. M. JONES.

The City of Suburbs.

Ashland has sent out some "boom-  
ing" advertising matter which  
takes the prize as an exhibition of  
"nerve". Ironton, which is on the  
opposite side of that streamlet, the  
Ohio river, is claimed as the North-  
east suburb of Ashland, "The Rail-  
road Center of Kentucky". Cat-  
letsburg is honored with the posi-  
tion of "Eastern Suburb." Hunt-  
ington is in danger, also.

Tip Moore does more for the  
poor people of his county and the  
roads than any lawyer in the coun-  
ty. He is a hustler and the county  
people will remember him.

A LOOKER ON.

From early child-  
hood until I was  
grown my family  
spent a fortune  
trying to cure me of this disease.  
I visited Hot Springs, and was treated  
by the best medical men, but was not  
benefited. When all things had  
failed to try S. S. S., and in  
four months was entirely cured. The  
terrible Eczema was gone, not a sign  
of it left; my general health built up  
and I have never had any return of  
the disease. I can recommend  
S. S. S. to a number of friends for skin dis-  
eases, and have never yet known a failure to  
cure. GEO. W. HEWITT, Ironton, Pa.

Never fails to cure  
ever ail all skin  
diseases have. Our  
Skin Diseases mailed  
free to any address.

SWIFT SPECIFIC CO., Atlanta, Ga.

State of Kentucky,  
Lawrence County Court.  
Dec Term Dec. 17, 1894.

On motion of Co. Attorney M. S.  
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A Copy  
Attest Robert Dixon, Clerk,  
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OUR NEIGHBORS.

Dr. J. W. Kincaid and Miss Jen-  
nie Taylor were married at Cat-  
letsburg last week.

Last Wednesday a party of men  
rode up to a house occupied by a  
man by the name of Sexton, in  
Wayne, W. Va., and compelled  
him to pack up his goods and leave  
the place at once. Sexton has  
been running a disorderly house.

The C. & O. railroad company  
has defeated Catletsburg in the  
contest as to whether the company  
should build roadways across the  
new bridge over Sandy. The origi-  
nal understanding was that foot  
and haul ways should be laid on  
the bridge but the railroad saw fit  
to refuse to do it, and the Secre-  
tary of War accepted the bridge  
without them.

Spencer is the only one that sells  
Wm. Tarr whiskey in Louisa.

Clover Leaf flour \$3.40 per bar-  
rel at Vaughan's.

Give Spencer your Xmas orders  
for fine whiskey.

Real China for Christmas pre-  
sents at Snyder Bros. Also, numer-  
ous other appropriate articles.

"Don't Tobacco Spit or Smoke  
Your Life Away."

The truthful, startling title of a book  
about No-to-bac, the only harmless,  
guaranteed tobacco-habit cure. If you  
want to quit and can't use "No-to-bac"  
Braces up nicotineized nerves eliminates  
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strength, weight and vigor. Positive  
cure or money refunded.  
Book at druggist, or mailed free. Ad-  
dress The Sterling Remedy Co., Chicago,  
45 Randolph St. New York, 10 Spruce St.

Xmas Suggestions.

Books from 5c to \$5.00, for all  
ages. For the children such books  
as Little Lord Fauntleroy, Bible  
Stories simply told, Heroes of History  
in words of one syllable, Frank  
Leslie's Fairy Tales, &c., &c. For the  
boys—the Century Book for  
Young Americans, Tom Sawyer,  
Huckleberry Finn, Cadet Days,  
Daniel Boone, &c. For everybody  
—a nice line of latest popular  
books and the old standards. All  
at the regular prices asked every-  
where.

In Silverware a carefully selected  
line of novelties and staples, in  
sterling and quadruple plate, at  
25c up. Don't fail to examine it.

In Watches, solid gold, and every  
grade below, at bottom prices. A  
fine assortment of all grades of  
rings. Latest styles in chains, side  
combs, and all the novelties.

Brownie stick pins for ladies, and  
Brownie tie pins for gents are all  
the go now. Get one and be in the  
swim. If anything fails to come  
up to representation, bring it back.

We always make it good.

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mechanical toys to be had.

Dolls at absolutely the lowest  
prices in the market.

Albums, toilet cases, pocket  
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ink erasers, paper weights, ink  
stands, dictionary holders \$3.50  
(usually sold at \$5.00).

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Rev. J. C. Koenig, who was suffering from a severe case of the disease, was cured by the use of the medicine.

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A valuable book on the treatment of the disease, sent free to all who send for it.

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**KENTUCKY STATE NEWS.**  
The Hopkinsville city council has contracted for water works. One hundred hydrants and ten miles of piping will be put in to start with. A reservoir to hold 4,000,000 gallons and a stand pipe 110 feet high will be built.

The Jefferson county grand jury has returned nine more indictments for offenses against the election laws.

The Watts steel plant in Middleboro, the largest steel plant in the United States, has been started and gives employment to five hundred people.

The rains of the past few days have been general over Kentucky, and the farmers who have been suffering from drought are consequently happy.

The morning of about 3:30 a report was heard in the neighborhood of the Star Milling Co.'s flouring mill, Nicholasville, and two hours later it was discovered that the safe had been blown open by burglars, who robbed the mill for about seventy-five cents in copper.

The assessed value of Lagrange is \$435,000, which is \$138,474 less than last year. The assessed valuation of Leitchfield property is \$191,000.

The appointment of Will A. Wilgus as postmaster at Hopkinsville and that of A. A. Edwards as postmaster at Tinsville have been confirmed by the senate.

The Daviess County Confederate association has laid the cornerstone of a Confederate monument. The shaft will stand in a corner of the courthouse square.

While killing hogs on the farm of Samuel Crowley, near Richmond, the other day, his 12-year-old son fell into the scalding trough and was scalded to death.

The oldest house in Henderson, built by N. F. Ruggles in the summer of 1814 and occupied at one time by John J. Audubon, collapsed the other night and is a total wreck.

The state conference of the people's party will be held in Louisville, December 31 and January 1.

The board of magistrates of Livingston county has appropriated \$2,500 to repair the county jail.

In the Boyd county case of Mead vs. Steele, for circuit clerk, Mead, the incumbent and a democrat, wins.

BEN WILKINSON, living near Godman station, Logan county, and three of his children were returning from church in a buggy the other night, when the horse became frightened and ran, throwing the occupants over a steep embankment.

The new tobacco crop has begun to appear upon the market in sufficient quantities for prices to be made with some uniformity.

SOME time ago Prof. M. H. Crump, of Bowling Green, was employed by the roads department of the government to prepare an article on "Kentucky Highways, History of the Old and New Systems." He has finished the article and sent it in, and it will be published by the government and distributed throughout the country in the interest of good roads.

JUNIOR MAXX, of Bourbon county, will contest the election of his republican opponent. He was defeated by only eight majority.

OWENSON, with a population of about 15,000, pays annually \$130,000 to fire insurance companies.

**EXPECTANT MOTHERS.**  
That wonderful remedy "MOTHERS' FRIEND" which makes childbirth easy and safe, is now on hand at the price of ONE DOLLAR per bottle.

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SOLD BY ALL DRUGGISTS.  
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Marie, the little daughter of J. P. McClure and wife of Gallup, Ky., departed this life Tuesday, Dec. 4, 1894, aged about 2 years and 6 months.

That dread disease, diphtheria, caused her death. Marie was a beautiful little girl, and exceeding bright and winsome in her ways; being just large enough to run about and to say so many sweet little words that sink deep into the heart; just such a darling as makes the home bright and cheerful; just such a jewel as causes the heart to almost break to have to give up to that monster, death.

Look through the rifts of the clouds and behold your loved one safely housed in the golden city of God.

Marie was indeed a sweet, lovely, and precious child. But, being taken home to glory, she lost none of her sweetness; she has lost none of her loveliness; she has lost none of those endearments which are entwined about your sad souls. There Marie's soul is beyond the snares and trials of this world; that her sufferings is over and she is now with the Redeemer in heaven which bind your souls more closely to that place of the departed.

The family is gathering on the other side of Jordan, and when this life is ended, God grant that there may be a family reunion around the throne of glory.

See those mechanical toys at Conley's. They are the latest things out and will please the children better than anything else.

The latest books, such as Trilby, Marcella, Pembroke, etc., as well as the standard works at same prices asked in the cities.

**DEAFNESS CANNOT BE CURED**  
There is only one way to cure deafness and that is by constitutional remedies. When this tube gets inflamed you can have a rumbling sound or imperfect hearing and when it is entirely closed deafness is the result and unless the inflammation can be taken out and this tube restored to its normal condition hearing will be destroyed for ever nine out ten are caused by earach which is nothing but an inflammation of the mucous surface.

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**HARPER'S WEEKLY**  
In 1895  
Harper's Weekly is a pictorial history of the times. It presents every important event promptly, accurately, and exhaustively in illustration and descriptive text of the highest order.

The manner in which, during 1894, it has treated the Chicago Railway Strikes and the China-Japanese War, and the amount of light it was able to throw on Korea the instant invasion was directed to that little known country, are examples of its almost boundless resources.

Julian Ralph, the distinguished writer and correspondent, has been sent to the seat of war, and there joined by C. D. Weldon, the well known American artist, now for many years resident in Japan, who has been engaged to cooperate with Mr. Ralph in sending to Harper's Weekly exclusive information and illustrations.

During 1895 every vital question will be discussed with vigor and without prejudice in the editorial columns, and also in special articles by the highest authorities in each department. Portraits of the men and women who are making history, and powerful and caustic political cartoons, will continue to be characteristic features. This Busy World, with its keen and kindly comment on the lesser doings of the day, will remain a regular department.

Fiction. There will be two powerful serials, both handsomely illustrated. The Red 'Okeade, a stirring romance of olden days by Stanley J. Weisman, and a novel of New York, entitled The Son of His Father, by Brander Matthews—several novelettes, and many short stories by popular writers.

The volumes of the Weekly begin with the first Number for January of each year. When no time is mentioned, subscriptions will begin with the Number current at the time of receipt of order.

**Harper's Magazine**  
In 1895  
The Simplotons, a new novel by Thomas Hardy, will be begun in the December Number, 1894, and continued in 1895. Whoever may be one's favorite among English novelists, it will be conceded by all critics that Thomas Hardy stands foremost as a master artist in fiction, and The Simplotons may be expected to attain a similar not inferior in degree to that which has marked Trilby—the most successful story of the year.

Another leading feature will be the Personal Recollections of Joan of Arc, by the Sieur Louis de Conte, Her Page and Secretary, under which guise the most popular of living American magazine writers will present the story of the maid of Orleans. In the January Number will appear a profusely illustrated paper on Charleston and the Carolinas, the first of a series of Southern Papers.

Northern Africa is attracting more attention than at any other time since it was the seat of empires. The next volume of Harper's Magazine will contain four illustrated articles on this region, and three of them will depict the present life there. Julian Ralph will prepare for the Magazine a series of eight stories, depicting typical phases of Chinese Life and Manners. Besides the long stories, there will begin in the January Number the first chapters of A Three-Part Novellette, by Richard Harding Davis—the longest work yet attempted by this writer. Complete short stories by popular writers will continue to be a feature of the Magazine.

The volumes of the Magazine begin with the Numbers for June and December of each year. When no time is mentioned, subscriptions will begin with the Number current at the time of receipt of order. Cloth cases, for binding, 50 cents each—by mail, postpaid. Title page and Index sent on application.

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In 1895  
Elegant and exclusive designs for Out door and In door Toilettes, drawn from Worth models by Sanzoo and Chapuis, are an important feature. These appear every week, accompanied by minute descriptions and details. Our Paris Letter, by Katharine de Forest, is a weekly transcript of the latest styles and caprices in the mode. Under the head of New York Fashions, plain descriptions and full particulars are given as to shapes, fabrics, trappings and accessories of the costumes of well dressed women. Children's Clothing receives practical attention. A fortnightly Pattern Sheet Supplement enables readers to cut and make their own gowns. The women who take Harper's Bazar is prepared for every occasion in life, ceremonial or informal, where beautiful dress is requisite.

An American Social, Doctor Warrick's Daughters, by Rebecca Harding Davis, a strong novel of American life, partly in the far South, will occupy the last half of the year.

My Lady Nobody, an intensely exciting novel, by Marion Martens, author of "God's Fool," "The Greater Glory," etc., will begin the year.

Essays and Social Chat. To this department Spectator will contribute her charming papers on "What We are Doing" in New York society.

Answers to Correspondents. Questions receive the personal attention of the editor, and are answered at the earliest possible date after their receipt.

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**Articles of Incorporation.**  
Know all men by these presents: That we J. C. Webb, Willie Wilson and A. J. Pennington, Trustees, do hereby incorporate and create ourselves and our successors a body politic and corporate, with the power of perpetual succession to sue and be sued, plead and be impleaded, contract and be contracted with, to have a corporation seal, and make, alter and amend the same at pleasure.

The corporation shall be known as New Hope Castle, No. 7, Knights of the Golden Eagle of Kentucky, at Webbville, Ky.

The business shall be such as is usual in castles of a Benevolent Order.

The Corporation shall begin from this day and continue so long as there are seven members in good standing in the Castle of the Knights of the Golden Eagle in New Hope Castle, No. 7, at Webbville, Lawrence Co., Ky.

The officers shall be Past Chief, Noble Chief, Vice Chief, High Priest, Venerable Hermit, Clerk of Exchequer, Keeper of Exchequer, Master of Record and Sir Herald, to be elected annually.

The indebtedness of this corporation shall not, at any one time, exceed \$300 dollars.

The property of the individual members shall not be liable for the corporation shall be valid only when in writing and signed by the Noble Chief and attested by Master of Records with the corporation seal thereon.

Signed: J. H. Wilson, P. C.  
Tanly Giles, N. C.  
Geo. E. Cramer, V. C.  
J. W. Pennington, H. P.  
A. W. Mayfield, V. H.  
Wm. Belcher, C. of Ex.  
J. H. Woods, K. of Ex.  
M. F. Waddell, M. of R.  
Wm. Green, S. H.

A. J. Pennington,  
Willie Wilson,  
J. C. Webb,  
Trustees,  
State of Kentucky,  
Lawrence County.

I, W. W. Fugitt, Deputy Clerk for Robt. Dixon, C. L. C. do certify that this article of incorporation of the Castle of the Knights of the Golden Eagle of New Hope Castle, No. 7, at Webbville, Lawrence Co., Ky., was on the 5th day of December, 1894, produced to me in said county and acknowledged by J. H. Wilson, Tanly Giles, Geo. E. Cramer, J. W. Pennington, A. W. Mayfield, Wm. Belcher, J. H. Woods, M. F. Waddell, Wm. Green, A. J. Pennington, Willie Wilson and J. C. Webb, together with a deed whereupon the same is sent to the Clerk of said county for record.

Witness my hand this, the 20th day of Dec. 1894.  
Robt. Dixon, C. Clerk.

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AT LOUISA, KY.

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Also, the Ruff heirs' land in the same district as above, for school taxes for 1893 amounting to \$1.06, which includes the cost of sale.

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